

PRESIDENT MOUL: Now 45 seconds.

SENATOR LANDIS: Thank you. At an appropriate time, and I will renew my light, I want to get into one of the reasons why we need to strike the provisions of 78 and leave the commission to do its own work, and the reason for that is that 78 is, on its face, unconstitutional in this Circuit Court of Appeals jurisdiction. I want to read into the record those cases which make it clear that that's the case and, in so doing, separate the issue of the commission from the onerous and unconstitutional provisions of 78. That's my intention. I'll renew my light. Thank Madam President.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Landis. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Madam President and members of the Legislature, Senator Robak several times took my name in vain, but I couldn't make head or tail out of what she was talking about so I can't even address that, but if she's that upset about something I said, I feel sorry for her, but I want to repeat that I meant what I said when I am pleased that women are speaking out on this issue which pertains to women. If Senator Robak can't understand that, if she has not listened carefully and followed what I said, I'd be happy to try to explain it to her. But, Senator Robak, wherever you are, to me, your comments made no sense and I have no idea what you were talking about and you wouldn't have to get that exercised to persuade me to read a book. Now, I want to talk again about what's before us. I wish Senator Carson Rogers were here because he asked me is my name still on a bill to abolish the death penalty, and it is. I don't know whether he's trying to say that he had cosigned and he wants to take his name off, but others have done the same thing and that makes me no difference. I don't know if he's implying that bills that I have before the Legislature that he might have supported he will no longer support because of my position on this. That makes me no difference. I have been down...oh, he's here. Let me ask, Senator Rogers, what was the point you were making when you asked me if my name is still on a bill to abolish the death penalty?

SENATOR ROGERS: Well, Senator Chambers, I mean, you want to do away with the death penalty and I believe in all understanding that I don't think anybody can deny that abortion is killing a baby.